# Breathe in, breathe out

## Helping your Child Build Resiliency

**Intentional Breathing Tip:** Your inhale and exhale breaths should be heartfelt, deep, slow, and even. Try counting to 4-5 seconds for the inhale and 4-5 for the exhale.

### **BENEFITS OF BREATHING TECHNIQUES**

(based on a recent study with 9th grade students)



**Intentional** breathing can help you and your kids manage stress and bounce back after problems



Practicing your breathing can have a positive impact on you and your child's wellbeing



Breathing helps navigate relationships and interactions with others



Breathing prompts selfreflection and selfcompassion



Breathing can help you keep your brain and body in sync

#### **Program Overview**

SMART BRAIN WISE HEART is a social and emotional learning program for students ages 9-16 that empowers them to make smarter decisions and improve self-control.

#### **Evidence-Based Results**

NORC conducted this study to evaluate the effects of the program on children's wellbeing.

- Fall 2021 & Spring 2022 Fielding Period
- 1,519 Student Surveys

#### **To Learn More**

HEART MATH FOR PARENTS https://www.heartmath.org/training/h eartmath-for-parents/

> SMART BRAIN WISE HEART https://sbwhcdc.heartmathelearning.org/

SEE RESEARCH RESULTS HERE https://goalresilience.norc.org/posts/everyone/001\_sma rt-brain-wise-heart/001\_smart-brain-wise-heart.html



